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TO AMEMBASSY MANILA

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LIMDIS

E.O. 11652:GDS TAGS:MASS, RP, ID

SUBJECT:TWO DES IN JAPAN

REF: (A) MANILA 15051 (B) MANILA 14487 (C) STATE 22B561

1. FINAL SALE OF THE TWO DES IN JAPAN CONTINUES TO BE HELD  
IN ABEYANCE PENDING CONFIRMATION FROM JAKARTA ON OFFER TO  
GOI OF WHECS, PCF, AND PGM.

2. WE ARE WORKING CLOSELY WITH NAVY AND DEFENSE PROPERTY  
DISPOSAL SHIPS SALES OFFICE TO DETERMINE EXACT STATUS OF  
SHIPS MENTIONED PARAGRAPH 5, REFTEL (A) AND WILL ADVISE AS  
SOON AS POSSIBLE.

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3. REGARDING ADDITIONAL QUESTIONS RAISED REFTEL (B) WE HAVE MOVED CAUTIOUSLY ON FORWARDING ANY LEGISLATION TO CONGRESS ON PROPOSED SHIP TRANSFERS FOR THE PHILIPPINES, BECAUSE WE HAVE REASON TO BELIEVE THAT KEY MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE SUBCOMMITTEE WHICH ADDRESSES ALL SHIP TRANSFERS HAVE TAKEN AN UNSYMPATHETIC VIEW TOWARD THE PHILIPPINES. AS PER REFTEL (C), WE HAVE UNDERTAKEN INFORMAL MEASURES WITH CONGRESSIONAL STAFF AND ARE GEARED TO PRESS ON WITH OFFICIAL NOTIFICATION AT THE PROPER MOMENT. WE WILL KEEP YOU ADVISED.

4. WE HAVE RE-EXAMINED THE SALE PRICE OF YTL AT GUAM, AND "AS IS, WHERE IS" FMS SALE PRICE OF VESSEL IS DOLS 35,000. KISSINGER

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